

## WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

- 1       1.    A method for providing data processing services,  
2            comprising:  
3            sending a list of available services to be displayed  
4                to a user, the list of available services  
5                including pricing information for at least some  
6                available services;  
7            receiving a user selection of a service;  
8            providing the selected service to the user;  
9            creating a billing record indicating the selected  
10               service and the user; and  
11            storing the user selection, wherein the services are  
12               provided within an enterprise common operating  
13               environment.
- 1       2.    The method of claim 1, wherein the services include  
2            local applications.
- 1       3.    The method of claim 1, wherein the services include  
2            server-based applications.
- 1       4.    The method of claim 1, wherein each service can be  
2            individually selected and billed to the user.
- 1       5.    The method of claim 1, wherein the services are billed  
2            to the user's business unit.
- 1       6.    The method of claim 1, wherein the user can thereby  
2            select only required services to use within a common  
3            operating environment.

1        7.    The method of claim 1, wherein the list of available  
2            services is customized to the user's role within the  
3            enterprise.

1 8. A data processing system having at least a processor  
2 and accessible memory, comprising:  
3 means for sending a list of available services to be  
4 displayed to a user, the list of available  
5 services including pricing information for at  
6 least some available services;  
7 means for receiving a user selection of a service;  
8 means for providing the selected service to the user;  
9 means for creating a billing record indicating the  
10 selected service and the user; and  
11 means for storing the user selection, wherein the  
12 services are provided within an enterprise common  
13 operating environment.

1 9. The data processing system of claim 8, wherein the  
2 services include local applications.

1 10. The data processing system of claim 8, wherein the  
2 services include server-based applications.

1 11. The data processing system of claim 8, wherein each  
2 service can be individually selected and billed to the  
3 user.

1 12. The data processing system of claim 8, wherein the  
2 services are billed to the user's business unit.

1 13. The data processing system of claim 8, wherein the  
2 user can thereby select only required services to use  
3 within a common operating environment.

1       14. The data processing system of claim 8, wherein the  
2           list of available services is customized to the user's  
3           role within the enterprise.

1 15. A computer program product tangibly embodied in a  
2 machine-readable medium, comprising:  
3 instructions for sending a list of available services  
4 to be displayed to a user, the list of available  
5 services including pricing information for at  
6 least some available services;  
7 instructions for receiving a user selection of a  
8 service;  
9 instructions for providing the selected service to the  
10 user;  
11 instructions for creating a billing record indicating  
12 the selected service and the user; and  
13 instructions for storing the user selection, wherein  
14 the services are provided within an enterprise  
15 common operating environment.

1 16. The computer program product of claim 15, wherein the  
2 services include local applications.

1 17. The computer program product of claim 15, wherein the  
2 services include server-based applications.

1 18. The computer program product of claim 15, wherein each  
2 service can be individually selected and billed to the  
3 user.

1 19. The computer program product of claim 15, wherein the  
2 services are billed to the user's business unit.

1 20. The computer program product of claim 15, wherein the  
2 user can thereby select only required services to use  
3 within a common operating environment.

1        21. The computer program product of claim 15, wherein the  
2            list of available services is customized to the user's  
3            role within the enterprise.